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PASRR Update - January 25, 2016

January 21, 2016, saw the first of many PAS/PASRR Redesign webinars hosted by the Division of Aging (DA) and <u>Ascend Management Innovations (Ascend)</u>. Thank you for taking time out of your busy schedules to participate in these very important webinars.

Unfortunately, due to technical difficulties, the DA had limited interaction during the initial PAS/PASRR Redesign webinar. We were able to hear the Ascend staff, but regret attendees couldn't hear the overview we provided, along with our support for this new process! You can view the slides from the webinar here.

As you are aware, Pre-Admission Screening (PAS) is scheduled to sunset June 30, 2016. As a result of the SEA 465 legislative action, true collaboration has taken place among our stakeholders: nursing facilities/trade associations, the hospital association, Area Agencies on Aging, as well as our sister FSSA divisions (DMHA, DDRS, and OMPP). All our efforts will result in the development and implementation of a person-centered, efficient, and effective process that will replace current practices. The new system will "go live" July 1, 2016.

Make sure you sign up to receive webinar registration information and other important PASRR updates on the Ascend webpage here and the Division of Aging's PSARR webpage here.

We appreciate your continued dedication to serving Indiana Hoosiers in the most appropriate setting while receiving the most appropriate services possible. Thanks again for all you do and we look forward to a new and improved way of doing business!

